

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

The monthly business and social meeting of the Epworth League of the First Methodist Episcopal church was held last evening at the home of Misses Helen and Lulu Carroll in South Prospect street. Plans were discussed for a "musical" to be held in the church Thursday evening, September 13, and for the annual old folks reception to be held Saturday, September 22. The plans of the reception will be the same as heretofore. Carriages or automobiles will be provided for the transportation of those who are unable to walk to and from the church, and the committee in charge will put forth every effort possible towards making the reception one of the largest and best ever held. A program will be rendered, and at its conclusion supper will be served. Arrangements were also made for an efficiency contest to begin September 9 and continue for six weeks. The object of the contest is to increase the efficiency of the league, which will be divided into two parts, known as the Reds and the Blues. Two captains, Miss Susan Hicks and Ralph Glaser were appointed. At the close of the contest a social will be held. Following the busines meeting there was a social session. Refreshments were served.

The weekly Bible study of the Business Women's Christian Association will be held tonight in the association rooms in the First National bank building.

The annual reunion of the Tarr family will be held Saturday on the H. H. Tarr farm near Eufaula.

Members of the G. I. A. Fancy work club are plucking this afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. E. Budd at Dickerson Run.

About 50 persons attended an enjoyable corn roast held last evening on the Workman farm at Bellview by the L. W. Class of the First Baptist Sunday school. The guests were conveyed to and from the farm in automobiles. Various games were indulged in and a delightful time was had by all. Luncheon consisting of abundance of delicious corn, sandwiches, pickles, coffee and butter milk was served.

Invitations have been issued for a banquet to be given tomorrow evening at the Hotel Miller at Latrobe in honor of Edward Soppit who has resigned as general superintendent of the Latrobe-Connelville Coke company.

The South Connelville band will hold a festival and concert tomorrow and Friday evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock, on the South Connelville school grounds. Miss Edna Younkin will be the soloist.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Smith and daughters of Adewa, O., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Hogg of Uniontown, will visit Connellsille before returning home.

Mrs. May Stillwagon of Broadford, Mrs. George L. Whipple and daughter, Nettie Lea, of Dawson, who have been visiting friends and relatives in Washington, D. C., for the past ten days, returned home today. Mrs. Stillwagon, formerly residing in Washington, is now in Connellsille and still growing. Why?

Brownell Shoe Company—Adv.

Miss Louise Davis has returned home from Akron, O., where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. C. Maxwell for several weeks.

John L. Micher, a graduate of the Dunbar township high school, a member of the class of 1917, and at the present time a student at the Pennsylvania Business college, at Lancaster, Pa., is spending a few days vacation with his parents at Leisenring.

Mrs. Charles Michael of Greensburg was a Connelville visitor today.

Reigh Marietta of the Eighteenth Regiment, came here from Pittsburgh yesterday afternoon to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Sarah A. Marietta, held this afternoon from the family residence in Johnstown avenue.

Miss Mary White spent yesterday in Pittsburgh.

Miss Nettie Rankin, who resigned as trimmer in the millinery department of the E. Dunn store to become manager at "The Quality" Shop in Brownsville, has returned from New York where she attended the fall millinery openings and bought fall and winter goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Russell and sons Joseph and Frank, of Warren, O., arrived here last night for a visit with Harry Dunn of South Prospect street.

Miss Alice Horner of Uniontown, who spent the summer at Killarney Inn, Killarney park, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. J. F. Kooser of New Castle is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Kooser of Galion, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Young and son William, and Lester Bandel of New-

WILSON REJECTS PEACE PROPOSAL OF POPE BENEDICT

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everywhere see, that if they never saw before, that no peace can rest securely upon political or economic restrictions meant to benefit some nations and cripple or embarrass others, upon vindictive action of any sort, or any kind of revenge or deliberate injury. The American people have suffered intolerable wrongs at the hands of the imperial German government, but they desire no reprisal upon the German people, who have themselves suffered all things in this war, which they did not choose. They believe that peace should rest upon the rights of people, not the rights of governments—the rights of peoples, great or small, weak or powerful—their equal right to freedom and security and self-government and to a participation upon fair terms in the economic opportunities of the world—the German people, of course, included—if they will accept equality and not seek domination.

"The test, therefore, of every plan of peace is this: Is it based upon the faith of all the peoples involved or merely upon the word of an ambitious and intriguing government, on the one hand and of a group of free peoples on the other? This is a test which goes to the root of the matter; and it is the test which must be applied.

"The purposes of the United States in this war are known to the whole world—to every people to whom the truth has been permitted to come. They do not need to be stated again. We seek no material advantage of any kind. We believe that the intolerable wrongs done in this war by the furious and brutal power of the imperial German government ought to be repaired, but not at the expense of the sovereignty of any people—rather a vindication of the sovereignty both of those that are weak and those that are strong. Punitive damages, the dismemberment of empires, and exclusive economic leagues we deem inexpedient and in the end worse than futile, no proper basis for a peace of any kind, least of all for an enduring peace. That must be based upon justice and fairness and the common rights of mankind.

"We cannot take the word of the present rulers of Germany as a guarantee of anything that is to endure unless explicitly supported by such conclusive evidence of the will and purpose of the German people themselves as the other peoples of the world would be justified in accepting.

"Without such guarantees, treaties of settlement, agreements for disarmament, covenants to set up arbitration in the place of force, territorial adjustments, reconstitutions of small nation, if made with the German government, no man, no nation, could now depend on. We must await some new evidence of the purposes of the great peoples of the Central Powers. God grant it may be given soon and in a way to restore the confidence of all peoples everywhere in the faith of nations and the possibility of a covenant peace.

"ROBERT LANSING,
Secretary of State of the United
States of America."

CONGRATULATE WILSON

ON ANSWER TO POPE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—Telegrams from all parts of the country began to pour into the White House today approving President Wilson's reply to Pope Benedict's peace proposal.

RECEIVER FOR ORDER

Royal Arcanum Again Alighted to Be Hopelessly Insolvent.

By Associated Press.

BOSTON, Aug. 29.—Arthur M. Cummings and James F. Upstone, both of Nassau, New Hampshire, today filed a bill in equity in the United States district court here, asking the appointment of a receiver for the Royal Arcanum, a fraternal insurance order, on the alleged grounds that its funds have been impaired by doubtful investments and the loss of a large number of members. The bill charges that the order has become hopelessly insolvent and that its resources are insufficient to meet its obligations.

This is the second receivership proceeding brought against the Royal Arcanum in recent months.

JOINT BIRTHDAY

Captain Edmund Dunn and Henry Kurtz, 77 and 76 respectively.

Captain Edmund Dunn and Henry Kurtz, veterans of the Civil War, and two of the city's most prominent residents, are holding joint birthday celebrations this afternoon at the home of Captain Dunn on South Prospect street. The birthday of Miss Phoebe Dunn, a daughter of Captain Dunn, is also being celebrated. Miss Dunn's birthday does not come until Friday, but of late years it has been the custom for her and her father to celebrate the events together with a small family dinner.

There is just one year's difference in the ages of Captain Dunn and his comrade, Mr. Kurtz. The former is 77 years old, while the latter has reached the age of 76 years. Both are enjoying good health. Following the usual custom members of the William F. Kurtz Post No. 104 Grand Army of the Republic assembled at the Dunn home to assist in the celebration. Out of town guests are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Russell and sons Joseph and Frank of Warren, O.

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The Grim Reaper

JAMES McKELVY.

James McElvey, one of the most prominent business men of Somerset, died Monday. Mr. McElvey was born in Indiana county, 56 years ago, and had been a resident of Somerset for a number of years. He was one of the organizers of the First National bank at Rockwood, and of the Somerset Trust company. Deceased is survived by his widow and five children.

MRS. MARY ELIZABETH RANDALL.

The funeral services of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Randall took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the family residence, Rev. J. H. Lamberton of the Methodist Protestant church of Connellsille, officiating. Interment in the Dickerson Run cemetery.

JOSEPH DEMESKO.

Joseph Demesko, two years old, son of Paul and Anna Demesko, died yesterday at the family residence at West Leislerick. Funeral tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock from St. John's Slavish church in the West Side. Interment in St. John's cemetery.

W. L. BURRUS.

The funeral of W. L. Burrus will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the family residence in Vine street. Interment in Hill Grove cemetery. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will have charge.

GALLEY REUNION

Twenty-fifth Annual Gathering Held at Dawson Fair Grounds.

The 20th annual reunion of the Galley family is being held today at the Dawson Driving park. Members of the family from the various parts of Fayette county and more distant points are present. The clan, which was established by Peter Galley, who settled in Lancaster county in 1770, is one of the largest in the United States. The program for the day follows:

Singing, "Star Spangled Banner,"

prayer, O. S. Reed; address of welcome, S. S. Shallenberger; response, Ewing Galley; addresses by persons from a distance; reading of letters; singing, "Auld Lang Syne;" reminiscences of the reunion 20 years ago, P. O. Smith; Dr. J. O. Arnold and others present at that time; report of the president, Ewing Galley; address, "Pioneers of the Yough Valley," M. M. Cochran; address, "Early History of Lower Tyrone Township," D. M. McDonald; report treasurer; report of secretary; election of officers; games and amusements, including a baseball game between the married and single men, foot racing, 100 yard dash for boys under 16 years old, prize, a pen knife; 100 yard dash for girls under 16 years old, prize, a box of handkerchiefs; 100 yard dash for men, prize a necktie; 100 yard dash for women.

The committees are as follows:

Transportation, Frank R. Galley; reception, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Galley;

Mrs. Mary Brashears, and Mrs. Mary Loucks; finance, Orrin C. Galley, John Snyder, Martin L. Galley and Beaty Luce; music, Emma Smith, Ruth Shallenberger; speakers, S. Stahl Shallenberger; amusements, H. D. Shallenberger, Jr., and Ollie Luce; dinner arrangements, Lena Galley with the following assistants, Mrs. F. B. Galley, Mary Bell Galley, Ruth Robinson, Grace Robinson, Ruth Shallenberger, Ella Galley, Mary Galley, Emma Smith, Etta Junk, Ruth Luce, Esther Galley, Mary Junk and Mary Porter.

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How Government Will Control The Supply and Price of Wheat

Food Administration Explains the Difficulties That Have Arisen and Makes Known Its Plans to Overcome Them.

THE food administration has announced its plan as to the control of wheat, flour and bread.

The disturbance to the world's commerce and short supplies has caused a greater disruption of the normal markets for wheat than any other cereal.

First.—As a result of the isolation of certain of the world's wheat producing countries by either belligerent lines or short shipping the normal determination of the price of wheat by the ebb and flow of commerce is totally destroyed.

Second.—In order to control speculation and to secure more equitable distribution of the available wheat and flour between their countries the allied governments have placed the whole purchase of their supplies in the hands of one buyer. Also the European neutrals are now buying their wheat through single government agents instead of in the normal course of commerce. Therefore the export price of wheat and flour—and this is the real price—if not controlled will be subject to almost a single will of the foreign purchaser.

Third.—In normal times American wheat moves largely to Europe in the fall months. This year the shortage of shipping necessitates its distribution over the entire year. Therefore there is danger of a glut in our warehouse system over a considerable period.

Fourth.—There are large stocks of wheat which cannot be drawn upon by the allies during the war but in the event of peace or defeat of the submarine these would be available and might seriously demoralize the demand for American wheat.

Fifth.—It must be clearly understood that the guaranteed minimum price of \$3 per bushel for wheat, set out in the food bill, does not apply to the 1917 harvest, but only to the 1918 harvest, and then under conditions which must be elaborated. There is therefore no determined price for the 1917 harvest.

Must Regulate the Price.

The result of this situation is that the normal price making machinery is entirely broken down unless some efficient government action is brought into play. Either (a) the American producer may face a slump in wheat, possibly below his production cost, and (b) the export price of wheat, which ultimately determines the real price, is at the will of a single agency. (c) Some one must buy the surplus wheat at any given moment, and if the surplus passes into speculative hands it will be held for higher prices later in the year. (d) With stabilized prices, extra hazards are introduced into all distribution links, which must be paid for by the consumer. It must be evident that the United States government can more justly deal with the situation than any of the agencies mentioned.

Therefore the food administration has determined to take the following course:

First, in order to eliminate speculation in wheat and flour, all elevators and mills of over 100 barrels daily capacity will be required to take out a government license, the conditions of this license to be that only reasonable and customary charges shall be made for warehouse service, that no wheat shall be stored for more than thirty days without the approval of the food administration, and that certain information as to receipts and shipments shall be supplied regularly.

The grain exchanges are being asked to suspend all dealings and quotations in future wheat. These regulations will come into force Sept. 1.

While farmers' co-operative elevators as excepted by the food bill, this, however, applies only to mutual concerns and not to stock companies, and, in any event, under the advantages of joining the plan none are likely to stand out.

To Open Agencies at Terminals.

In substitution of the broken down marketing machinery, the food administration proposes to open agencies for the purchase of all wheat at the principal terminals, carrying on its transactions with the usual dealers, and it is prepared to take the whole harvest; if necessary in order to maintain the present wage scale of the country and that we must in this social readjustment lose efficiency at a time when we can afford no such sacrifice.

Chinese Sausages.

In China sausages are made of meat from the hind thighs of hogs, which are chopped fine, mixed with four drums of sugar, rice wine and table salt, eight drums of soy and a pinch of pepper to every one and one-third pounds and dried in the sun until ready for dining. Driedysters and ducks' livers are added to some varieties.

It Would Help.

"My dear, we can't afford to pay \$90 a month rent."

"Of course we can't, my dear. I've thought of that. But there's a lovely garage on the back of the lot which we can surely rent for \$5 a month, which will help a good deal."—Detroit Free Press.

Presumption Resented.

"Be good," said the philosopher, "and you will be happy."

"Not necessarily," replied the man of sensitive conscience. "If you undertake to be good some envious people are likely to think you are trying to put on airs!"—Washington Star.

The Rival.

"I have just been readin'," quoth Hamlet Fatt, "some staratin' statistics about the earth's capacity."

"Why need you worry about the earth's capacity?" responded York Hamm. "You'll never play to it"—Pittsburgh Post.

The only thing you can afford not to say is a grudge.

NEWSY NOTES TELL WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE MILL TOWN

W. C. T. U. Elects Officers and Names Committee Heads for Year.

NEW TEACHERS ARE ELECTED

L. W. Smith, Miss Mary Mollison, Miss Jessie Reed and Miss Francis Lohr resign and New Instructors are Chosen; Canning Demonstration.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, Aug. 29.—The Ladies of the W. C. T. U. held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. C. D. Reid last evening. Officers were chosen as follows: President, Mrs. J. E. Steelsmith; vice president, Mrs. C. W. Stauffer; recording secretary, Mrs. Lucy A. Poole; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. A. Colborn; treasurer, Mrs. Josiah Reynolds; vice presidents from the various churches, United Brethren, Mrs. Albert Keister; Presbyterian, Mrs. Sue McCrogan; Baptist, Mrs. William Eicher; Christian, Mrs. Ada Shantz; Reformed, Mrs. P. O. Peterson; Superintendents—press work, Mrs. Lucy A. Poole; anti-narcotic, Mrs. J. H. Pahel; T. E. B.'s, Mrs. Ora Yost; temperance and missions, Mrs. W. F. Stoner; temperance and literature, Mrs. William Burtfield; Sunday school, Mrs. Marion Detwiler; suffrage, Miss Margaret Kirschbaum; social meetings, Mrs. George Gordon; legislative, Mrs. C. A. Colborn; evangelistic, Mrs. T. W. Burgess; flower mission, Mrs. C. D. Reid; soldiers and sailors, Mrs. H. C. Fox; S. T. L's, Mrs. Elroy Hough; mothers' meetings, Mrs. J. E. Steelsmith; medal contest, Mrs. C. W. Stauffer; sabbath observance, Mrs. Sue McCrogan; fair and open air meetings, Mrs. Anna Love; work among foreign speaking people, Mrs. William Eicher; delegates to convention at Jeannette, Mrs. J. E. Steelsmith; Mrs. J. H. Pahel and Mrs. A. H. Herbert; alternates, Mrs. Sue McCrogan and Mrs. C. W. Stauffer.

School Board Meets.

The school board held its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening and filled a number of vacancies caused by resignations. L. W. Smith, teacher of mathematics in the high school, resigned to quit teaching; Miss Mary Mollison resigned; Miss Jessie Reed resigned to accept a position in the Jeannette high school, and Miss Francis Lohr resigned to accept a position in Braddock. Miss Reed was elected to fill the vacancy in the high school caused by the resignation of Mr. Smith. Miss Jessie M. Dinger was transferred from Second to Third grades to First grade, to fill the vacancy caused by Miss Lohr's resignation. Miss Olive Rhodes was elected teacher for the Second and Third grades. Miss Mae Love, elected some time ago, was given Seventh and Eighth grades, formerly taught by Miss Read. Miss Ruth Weimer was elected teacher of No. 5. Miss Zella Burtsfield was chosen teacher of Sixth grade. There were a number of candidates. The annual report was read and ordered filed and the bills paid for the month.

Canning Demonstration.

Scottdale will have its first real canning demonstration of the season on Saturday afternoon following the meeting of the Eureka Grange which will be held at 1:30 o'clock. After a short grange meeting, the doors will be thrown open to the public, especially the women. At this time, County Farm Agent, L. F. Engle and Miss McCrary from the State College, will be present and demonstrate the cold pack method.

Give Blower for Recruit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hafer gave a dinner last evening for Hugh Galbreath and William Muir who will leave soon to join the "Mosquito Fleet."

Held Rose Party.

The Daughters of Isabel, following their meeting on Monday night, held a Rose Party at Forst's Drug Store, in Pittsburgh street. The store was decorated appropriately and the Peerless Mandolin Club furnished music. Refreshments were served. A flashlight was taken at the close of the party.

WANTED.

Young lady school teacher desires room and board in Scottdale.—Room, care Courier.—Adv.—29-2t.

Back from Peck Inn.

Mrs. Gertrude Dillen and sons, Robert and Harry, and Irene Prits have returned home from Peck Inn, in the Indian Creek valley, where they spent the summer. Peck Inn was opened this summer by W. M. Prits, and during the past few weeks a number of his friends from Pittsburgh, Connellsburg and Scottdale were entertained, all reporting a most enjoyable visit. On their arrival at Peck Inn the guests were warmly received and hospitality reigned supreme.

Personal Mention.

With all due respect to Barber and Walt, vote for Stephen R. Rutherford for burgess, Republican primaries, September 19, 1917.—Adv.—22-1.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Saylor of Youngstown, O., are the guests of friends here.

Poul Smeal has returned to Youngstown, O., after a visit with friends here.

Misses Nello Reed and Caroline Eicher left yesterday morning for Washington, D. C., where they are staying in the Children's Hospital.

Miss Ethel Fretts is visiting in Uniontown.

"Peck" Lee of New Brighton spent Monday here.

Misses Mary Blair of McKeesport and Gladys Blair of Derry have returned home.

Miss June Sisley, who has been visiting in Meadville, has returned home.

Miss Helen Bryant has gone to Washington, D. C., to visit.

Miss Georgia Wray has returned

home from a two weeks' stay at Latrobe.

Miss Helen Sisley has returned home from Homestead.

Misses Ethel Sheler and Elizabeth Peterson spent the week-end with Miss Olive Evans at her Indiana home. Miss Evans returned and took her place in the Peterson school on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George McDurdy, the former's mother and father, moved to Gettysburg.

Miss William English has returned to Washington, D. C., after a visit to friends here.

Mr. Henry Merritts and daughter have returned home after a visit to R. L. Hill.

Mrs. Ann Jones of Detroit, is here visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Frank of Connellsville were visiting friends here on Monday.

Charles H. Crammer of Vandergrift spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Douglass and family of Chicago have moved in the Mononite Flats.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Redshaw and son Harold returned home yesterday from Pittsburg.

Mr. J. Raybould has gone to Toronto, Canada, to visit her son George.

Misses Ethel Humphreys of McDonald and Ethel Williams of Glassport are spending a few days with Mrs. Albert Kelster.

Mrs. William Price of Myersdale is visiting at her home here.

"CLOWN ALLEY"

That's Where Chalk Paint and Web-toed Shoes Hold Fort.

Where chalk-white paint and rouge and huge web-toed shoes hold forth in the circus, there is clown "alley."

There is where one will find "the joys," as the people of the "white tops" term the clowns. And in the clown alley of the Seals-Floto Circus, coming to Connellsville to exhibit Friday, August 31, one will find well known funmakers, men who produce and stage the skits in the three rings.

On the stages and in the circling hippodrome track, to say nothing of the mimic warfare with comedy cannon.

Take men like Horace Webb and William De Levy, for instance. They carry their own companies of clowns.

They conceive, write, stage and rehearse their big set acts almost as carefully as a dramatic impressario shapes a Broadway farce. These men are known in spangledland as producing clowns, and the don't grow on trees; for there are few producing clowns who can design pantomimic acts that will register in an immense "auditorium" enclosed by a tent seating over 10,000 people.

There are nearly 50 clowns with the Seals-Floto Circus, and eight of them are producing clowns. Mr. De Levy is also a musical director and his clown band, which appears in the parade and the big show, is an organization of clever musicians.

It is sometimes startling to hear this band switch from laughter provoking discords to a flawless rendition of a beautiful piece of music. In the parade, this band—one of five excellent aggregations of clowns in the million dollar open air review—is mounted on burros. It is one of the scores of pleasing novelties in the program.

Two of the other bands are mounted but they ride thoroughbred horses.

Ohioopyle.

OHIOOPYLE, Aug. 29.—Mrs. H. C. Jones and daughter, Helen, spent Tuesday in Connellsville shopping and calling on friends.

Mrs. Osler of Somerfield, is the guest of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Collins.

Dr. J. R. Cotton of Dawson was here a business visitor; here yesterday.

Wallace Hall returned to Connellsville yesterday after a few days spent here.

Read The Daily Courier regularly.

Miss Jessie Tissie of Bear Run, was shopping in town yesterday.

Miss Margaret and Nevada Oster, who have been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Collins, departed yesterday for Brownsville to spend a few days.

Miss Hattie Daniels returned yesterday from a visit spent in Stewarton.

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TESTIMONIALS FOR MEDICINES

Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company Publishes Only Genuine Ones.

The testimonials published by Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Company come unsolicited. Before they are used the Company takes great care to inform itself about the writer. Never knowingly, has it published an untrue letter, never is a letter published without written consent signed by the writer.

The reason that thousands of women from all parts of the country write such grateful letters is that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has brought health and happiness into their lives, once burdened with pain and illness.

It has relieved women from some of the worst forms of female ills, from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, nervousness, weakness, stomach troubles and from the blues.

It is impossible for any woman who is well and who has never suffered to realize how these poor, suffering women feel when restored to health; and their keen desire to tell other women who are suffering as they did.

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HAVE YOU TRIED OUR CLASSIFIED ADLETS?

URGE NO PEACE

Catholics Acclaim Pope's Proposal. But Don't Ask U. S. to Accept It.

By Associated Press.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 29.—Protests "accalming" the peace proposal of the Catholic Church to the war program of the United States, but containing no clause urging acceptance by the American government of the Papal suggestion, were reported favorably here today by the resolutions committee of the American Federation of Catholic Societies.

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Fact That \$2 Price Means
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GOOD SEED IS BADLY NEEDED

Advice From Planting Additional Acreage Farmer's Aim Will Be to Get As Big Yield as Possible from An Acre; Farm Bureau to Assist.

With a minimum price of \$2.00 per bushel for 1918 wheat and the call "MORE BREAD" sounding, farmers in Fayette County will sow just as many acres to wheat this fall, as land and labor will allow.

"Because of the increased price, yields. Why have a yield of 13 bushels per acre when a neighbor has 23 or 30 bushels?" asks the farmer. "If you study his system you will probably find he is giving attention to seed, preparation of soil and fertilization," says a Fayette County Farm Bureau Bulletin.

"Preparation of seed bed means plow early and deep and harrow often." By practicing this system the seed bed will be firm and full of moisture at seeding time.

"Better Seed Wheat means with wheat at not less than \$2.00 per bushel, he cannot afford to sow rye, garlic, cheat, cockle and wheat in the same field. Each day the Farm Bureau is being asked, "Where can I get good clean seed?" We are looking up clean seed for every farmer. There are men growing good seed in the county who have wind mills or will purchase them, and clean their entire crop for seed. If you want to know where to get good seed, write or call the Fayette County Farm Bureau as soon as possible. We will have names of farmers with first class seed, with a record of his price per bushel, variety, etc."

"Fertilizer—Manure and Acid Phosphate make a good combination. Where no manure can be applied before seeding, light top-dressing of manure during the winter will give very satisfactory results, especially on fields which receive very little protection by snow. Barnyard manure should be supplemented with from 250 to 350 pounds acid phosphate per acre."

"Two hundred and twenty-five pounds of 16% acid phosphate on a rye field in Lower Tyrone township gave an increased yield of 15 bushels of rye last year. One should be able to purchase 14% acid phosphate in ton lots at a price of about \$22.00 and the 16% variety at about \$24.00. If your local dealer does not handle it, we can tell you where you can get it in ton or car lots."

"You should make arrangements for your fertilizer, immediately, as a delay may mean that you will not be able to purchase it."

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, Aug. 29.—Mrs. S. T. Downs and daughter, Helen, and little son are visiting Mrs. Downs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Shanks in Oakland, Md., at present.

Mrs. Thomas Conney returned recently from the large military opening in Pittsburgh. She will be head milliner for A. G. Black Sons Co. this season.

Helen Bowlin still continues to improve from her long, severe siege of illness.

Misses Rachel Miller and Josephine McKee are among those from here attending the institute at Somerset this week.

Quite a number from here have signed their intention of attending the Sells-Floto shows in Connellsville Friday of this week.

W. L. Saylor of Everson with his family have removed to Draketown where they will reside in future.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Wagner and two children of Connellsville, was here yesterday attending the funeral of Mrs. Wagner's uncle, Silas Butler.

Quite a number from here expect to attend the Sunday school picnic held at Draketown Saturday next.

Frank Watson, an employee of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad in Pittsburgh, was here yesterday enroute to Somerdale to visit friends.

Mrs. Dolly Gaddis of Dunbar, was among those from a distance who attended the funeral of Mr. Silas Butler here yesterday.

Rev. D. P. Morris, pastor of the Christian church for several years, has tendered his resignation which will take effect next Sunday when he will preach his last sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Butler of Connellsville, was here yesterday attending the funeral of the former's uncle, Silas Butler.

TO MARKET FRUIT.

State Bureau Will Assist Dealers in Adams and Franklin Counties, By Associated Press.

HARRISBURG, Aug. 29.—The newly created state bureau of markets of the Department of Agriculture has undertaken as a war measure to market 100 carloads, 32,000 bushels, of peaches from the Adams and Franklin county fruit belt.

A number of the dealers have decided to sell their crops through the bureau which is ready to submit prices and shipping arrangements.

Constipation upsets the entire system—causing many illnesses to the human family. Don't worry—Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will drive out constipation, regulate the bowels, tone the stomach, purify the system. Give it a thorough trial. 25c. Tea or Tablets. Connellsville Drug Co.—Adv.

Mount Pleasant

You Can Tell the People Who Have Iron in Their Blood —Strong, Healthy, Vigorous Folks

Doctor Says Ordinary Nuxated Iron Will Make Nervous, Run-down People 100% Stronger in Two Weeks' Time In Many Cases.

NEW YORK, N. Y.—"One glance is enough to tell which people have iron in their blood," said Dr. E. Sauer, a Boston physician who has studied widely both in this country and in great foreign medical institutions, a recent discount. "There are the ones that do and don't. The others are in the walking class. Sleepless nights spent worrying over supposed ailments, constant dosing with habit-forming drugs, stomach, liver or kidney disease and useless attempts to brace up with strong coffee or other stimulants are sure to keep them suffering and vainly longing for strength. The real reason is lack of iron in the blood. Without iron the blood has no power to change food into living tissue and therefore nothing you eat does you any good; you don't absorb it, you excrete it out. The moment iron is supplied the multitude of dangerous symptoms disappear. We have seen dozens of nervous, run-down people who were ailing all the time, dozing and failing, their strength and endurance steadily getting lost, and signs of dyspepsia, liver and other trouble in from 12 to 14 days' time simply by taking iron in the proper form. And this, after they had in some cases been doctoring for months without any benefit."

GAS RATE RAISE COMPLAINT WILL BE DROPPED FOR YEAR

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That was Mr. Duggan's cue for a speech about the increasing ability contributing to the support of the Standard Oil company. "It may be well for us," Mr. Angle said, "that we have this slight connection with the Standard Oil, for they have lots of money to develop with."

"Do the Hope company owners also own the stock of the Fayette County Gas company?" Mr. Higbee asked. "Not a share," was the reply. "There is no connection between the two companies. We are absolutely independent. With the Standard Oil we have a slight connection, because the corporation and the Fayette company took over a plant in Huntingdon between them."

"What assurance will you give that the complaints are withdrawn, the company will supply manufacturers with gas?" Mr. Higbee asked.

"What assurance will you give that the complaints will be withdrawn?" Mr. Angle wanted to know.

"None. I don't think they will be."

"Then, what's the use of arguing the case here, then, if that's the spirit you came to this meeting in?"

Mr. Higbee said he was referring to the labor council's complaint, over which he had no control. "Oh," said Mr. Angle, "I don't consider the second complaint. It's the first, the community complaint that I want withdrawn."

Mr. Higbee made the proposition that if he and H. C. Reeser, treasurer of the company, were allowed to work together on the books for two or three days, he would determine whether the complaints were reasonable and necessary, and if so, cease to object.

It was made clear that in any case the gas company could not furnish gas to manufacturers for more than a year, unless an unexpected supply is struck. In that case, the manufacturers would be supplied, the gas not being conserved for domestic consumers. Only a year of grace is given to manufacturers, however, and they must take that time to convert their machinery for the use of other fuel.

One of Mr. Higbee's objections was that the Hope company was getting a two and a half cent increase as well as the Fayette. "If you've made a bad contract by which they get 50 per cent of a raise," he told Mr. Angle, "you ought to suffer for it, and not shun your mistake on the public. If you're entitled to any raise it ought to be two and half cents, not five."

"Besides, you went about it wrong," he said. "Instead of coming to council and telling what you wanted, you embarked in a campaign of expensive advertising which did more to quash your case than anything else. The arguments were not pertinent to the case." Mr. Higbee had previously referred to the advertisements as "illegitimate stuff."

R. W. Hickman of the Richmond Radiator company, Uniontown, explained how the gas company was running no bluff. H. D. Hutchinson, a driller of wells, testified along the same lines. W. L. Graham of the Masontown Glass company declared that the public should accept the slight advance gracefully; if by so doing the gas company would be put in a position to give manufacturers a break during the coming year. The increase to the county domestic consumers would amount to about \$60,000 a year. The Masontown Glass company alone has a payroll of \$150,000 a year. "The people are the losers," Mr. Graham said. "If you continue with this objection, a year to get a gas producer installed looks mighty good to us."

E. B. Swartz who, with B. B. Colsmith, represented Mount Pleasant, said, "we'd like to keep our plants going. Mount Pleasant would feel their loss."

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, Aug. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Carson left Tuesday morning for Daytona, Florida, called by the serious illness of Mr. Carson's cousin of that place.

Mrs. C. T. Davidson, Mrs. James Carson, Sr., and Misses Olive and Elsie Carson attended the wedding of Herman Carson and Miss Isabelle Campbell which took place at the home of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Carson will reside at Homestead.

Squire James Hazen of Smock, was calling on friends here Monday.

Rev. Sam of Bethany, is the guest

if you are not strong or well you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two grain tablets of ordinary Nuxated Iron three times per day and make this for two weeks. Then take your strength and see for yourself how much you have gained. There is nothing like good old iron to put color in your cheeks and sound health in your bones. But please take iron in a form that can be easily absorbed and assimilated like Nuxated Iron if you want it to do you any good, otherwise it may prove worse than useless.

NOTE.—Nuxated Iron, recommended above by Dr. E. Sauer, is one of the newer organic iron compounds. Unlike the older inorganic iron products, it is easily assimilated, does not injure the teeth, and does not cause stomach trouble. On the contrary, it is a most potent remedy. In nearly all forms of indigestion, as well as for nervous, run-down conditions. The manufacturer says they give a good deal of money to charitable institutions if they cannot take any man or woman under 60 who lacks iron and increases their strength 100 per cent or more. Please take iron in a form that can be easily absorbed and assimilated like Nuxated Iron if you want it to do you any good, otherwise it may prove worse than useless.

EVERY COUPON recommended above by Dr. E. Sauer, is one of the newer organic iron compounds. Unlike the older inorganic iron products,

'ELEPHANTINE VALUES'

Friday's Big Attractions. COUPON DAY

at the
BIG STORE
and
Sells-Floto Circus

Read Thursday Ad.

Be Sure You Get
Thursday's Paper
With the Coupon Ad.

Remember—You Must Clip the Coupons to Get the Advertised Items at Coupon Prices—Otherwise You Will Pay Full Price—Bring the Coupon Ad with you as a shopping list—for the mere sake of economy get your shears and clip the coupons. Out of town people going to the circus should make Kobackers their headquarters.

EVERYBODY MEETS AT THE BIG STORE.

EVERY ARTICLE ADVERTISED WILL BE A SENSATIONAL BARGAIN

KOBACKER'S
THE BIG STORE
PITTSBURGH

At the Theatres

THE PARAMOUNT.

"THE FOOD GAMBLERS"—One of the most timely screen dramas of the moment is being presented today. The picture is one of the newest Triangle productions, featuring William Lucas and Eddie Millar. Miss Millar appears as a young newspaperwoman, who exposes a ring of prominent men engaged in "food gambling."

"Not a share," was the reply. "There is no connection between the two companies. We are absolutely independent. With the Standard Oil we have a slight connection, because the corporation and the Fayette company took over a plant in Huntingdon between them."

KNOW IT WELL

Familiar Features Well Known to Hundreds of Connellsville Citizens.

A familiar burden in many homes.

The burden of a "bad back."

A lame, a weak or an aching back often tells you of kidneyills.

Doan's Kidney Pills are for weak kidneys.

Here is Connellsville testimony.

H. G. Blackburn, carpenter, 314 W.

Fayette St., says: "I had gravel when a boy. I was operated on and didn't have any more trouble for years. I then began to suffer from a dull pain in the small of my back and didn't get rid of the trouble until I used Doan's Kidney Pills. A few boxes cured me and I haven't had any kidney complaint since."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that cured Mr. Blackburn. Foster-Milburn Co., Prop., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

Smithfield.

SMITHFIELD, Aug. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Feather and son Ray, and A. S. Howard motored to Carmichaels and spent the day Sunday.

Donald Jones of Akron, O., and Donald Sutton of the same place are visiting their parents here. They both passed the examination for military service before the local board there and were accepted, neither claiming exemption.

Enoch Abraham, another Smithfield boy, was examined in Pittsburg Saturday but failed to pass the physical test.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Neill and son Jack stayed Saturday night and Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Colborn in South Union township.

Mrs. Walter Bailey went to Rockwood Tuesday, called here by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Stuck; who is threatened with typhoid fever.

Squire J. C. High in the unavoidable absence of H. O'Neill, presided at Squire O'Neill's court and heard and disposed of a case for him Saturday evening. The case grew out of a practical joke perpetrated by Robert Clark, 12 year old boy, the victim being a colored man, Sylvester Stone.

The boy said in his information that the colored man struck him with a shovel, showing a cut on the side of his face, a result of the kick, and the only provocation the colored man had was that the boy had placed a dead snake in the pit of coal from which the defendant was shoveling coal. The case was compromised by the defendant paying the costs.

Rev. Ralph Bell was a caller in Uniontown Monday.

Mrs. James Scott, after a visit of several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Rankin, left here Tuesday on her return to her home. She will visit Mrs. Howard Phillips at Uniontown and Mrs. Frank Lewis her sister, on her return home at Atlas.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Miller of Pittsburg, after visiting relatives here, went to Point Marion Saturday to visit with relatives.

THE SOJOURN.

The efficiency of a theatrical booking office was demonstrated this week when, after a musical tabloid company was closed on Monday night because it was below the Sojourner standard, a complete five-act vaudeville program was gotten together in Pittsburgh and sent to Connellsville in time for the afternoon performance. The bill was good, too, though perhaps not the peer of other programs presented recently.

There is something in it, however, that should please all patrons of the house.

That the people of Connellsville and vicinity have confidence in the Sojourner management to present good shows and to make good for any slip-ups, such as that of Monday, was evidenced by the large crowds last night.

The bill includes a crackjack acrobatic act, which may be retained for the entire week, a fine accordionist, colored singing team that scores heavily, a monologist and dancer and a song, dance and athletic pair who are very clever.

Sitgurgo is the film attraction for Thursday. Tomorrow a change of program.

THE ARCADE.

The Margaret Clark Musical Comedy company yesterday delighted a good sized audience at the Arcade, offering the military musical absurdity "Preparedness." The plot for today is the domestic farce called "The Two Liars," written by Mrs. Kate Hume, author of "A True Kentuckian." Like its predecessor of yesterday, the show depends mainly for its laughs upon the very situations and jokes written in the manuscript. The plot resolves around the escape of a married man who buys a hotel and is driven to desperation by the petty jealousies of his wife. He tells all manner of falsehoods to escape from the predicament his lying gets himself in. The costume of the show is out of the ordinary. Miss Farson will wear an Iadora Duncan Egyptian gown of brown georgette crepe and Miss Clark will wear an original Lady Duff gordon creation of green net with pastel trimming. The chorus will wear French doll dresses of blue silk. Fay Tincher stripes and Fanchon purple saraband.

The musical numbers and the song and dance numbers by the chorus will have the proper spirit in them. The screen show includes Marin Sais in "The American Girl," and the always funny "Ham and Bud." The entire show will be repeated tomorrow.

ORPHEUM THEATRE.

"TWO LITTLE IMPS."—A Wm. Fox production featuring the incomparable Lee Kraske, Jane and Katherine. They reunite a prodigal son and his father; they engineer a love match and capture two big burlars. "Kleptomaniacs," good comedy will also be shown. Tomorrow an unusual story of Wall Street and the sacrifice of one woman for the happiness of another—an act which leads eventually to the best working out of her own destiny—is the latest Mutual picture with Marjorie Rambeau as the star. Friday Tom Moore is featured in "Snobs."

\$15 Specials

PETEY DINK—What's More, They Get Him Into Trouble



VETERAN PLANK QUILTS DIAMOND

Great Southpaw Bows Before Old Father Time.

HAS LOST EFFECTIVENESS

Regan to Pitch In College, and Coach Saw That He Was a Wonder—Connie Mack Was Tipped Off and Signed Him in 1901—Was Greatest Southpaw of His Time.

Edward S. Plank, known throughout the baseball world as the greatest southpaw pitcher of his time, has bid the game farewell.

Fielder Jones of the St. Louis Browns made the announcement. Plank has been in the big leagues for twenty years, and during that time compiled the most remarkable record ever made by a left hand pitcher.

According to Manager Jones, the veteran pitcher is in earnest in his retirement this time. For years Plank has contemplated laying aside his uniform and glove, but time and again was persuaded by managers with big offers to remain in the big show.

Old Father Time, however, has in recent years made it evident to even the



Photo by American Press Association.

EDWARD S. PLANK.
marvelous Plank that his skill was on the wane. He has steadily been losing his effectiveness on the mound, and about a month ago made it known that he would not remain in the game much longer.

Born in Pennsylvania.
Plank was born in Gettysburg, Pa., in 1875. Unlike the average American youth, however, he did not begin to play ball in early boyhood. Until he was fifteen years of age he had never seen a baseball score. At sixteen he handled his first ball and bat, and not until a year later did he attempt to pitch a game.

When Plank was twenty-two he went to college at Gettysburg. The coach at the institution that Plank entered was Frank Foreman, the famous pitcher of the old Baltimore Orioles.

Foreman usually looked over the candidates for the nine when they reported for practice and asked the men what positions they were accustomed to play. Plank had never even seen a uniform, for his teammates usually played in their farm clothes. When Eddie was asked where he fitted in, he modestly replied that he "had pitched some down home."

It did not take the old coach long to discover that he had a recruit of unusual talent in Plank. One day he took the lad aside and said:

"If you follow my instructions closely I'll make you one of the greatest southpaws in the country."

Plank needed no further inspiration.

He worked long and hard, mastering control and defeated nearly every team he faced on the college diamonds. One of Foreman's friends was Connie Mack.

Foreman realized what a "find" the youngster would be to a big league manager, and he tipped off Mack that he had a phenom.

Won His First League Game.
The Athlete's manager immediately got into communication with Plank and signed him to a contract. That was in 1901. Since that time Plank has been in the major leagues. This day after he joined the Macmen, he was pitted against the famed Wm. Mathewson of the Cardinals. When he came into the big league he played poor ball and did not look like even the markings of a big league athlete. Now he is there in every way, and I'll say that he is a grand ball player.

his career. He used no more exertion than was necessary to win his contests. To this he attributed his long and successful service on the mound.

"Like most youngsters," he said once, in relating the story of his career. "I started out with the idea that I would have to put all my strength into every pitch. But I made a study of pitching and soon discovered that if I went on in this manner I could not last long. I then saved my strength for the critical stages of the game, and thereafter did not put any more on the ball than I had to."

BYRON INTERPRETS A RULE.

Say Runner to First Has Right to Retreat Back Beyond the Plate.

In one of the Brooklyn games it Pittsburgh a Superba runner was on first base when the batsman drove a ball to Hans Wagner, slowly, straight off the first baseline. Hans came tearing in and picked up the ball a few feet ahead of the batter, who then turned and went back toward the plate. That disconcerted Hounds, who chased the batter and tagged him, the man on first getting to second.

The runner going to first has a perfect right to pull up and go back toward the plate, and it will almost invariably disconcert the first sacker, as it did Wagner. It bothers the first baseman if he is too far in to touch the bag immediately and prevents a throw for a double play after retarding the batter.

Umpire Byron, who was officiating in that series, was asked about the right of the runner to first to retreat, and he said it was the understanding among the indicator handlers that a batter could retreat as far as the plate and three feet beyond in dodging a fielder on a batted ball, but if he went more than three feet beyond the plate he would be called out for running out of line. This is something of a new wrinkle and is an interpretation of the rule that is not generally known.

KID MCCOY IN THE WAR.

Soldier of Fortune Has Had a Most Varied Career.

Nearly a quarter of a century ago there was a small newsboy running at large on a section of Illinois street. Indianapolis, known then as the "Jewel." His name was Norman Selby until he branched out into the fight game, after which he was known all over the world as Kid McCoy.

Few dispute the assertion that McCoy was the greatest fighter of his weight in the history of the prize ring. He won fortunes and championships and threw both away and again in America, Europe and South Africa. As a soldier of fortune it might be said that he has been married and divorced six times, served in the Spanish-American war, last year on the Mexican border and is now wearing the uniform of an infantryman of the Seventy-first New York. If he fights in the trenches as he did in the prize ring McCoy will set a lively pace for his comrades.

HEINIE GROH REJECTED.

Red Third Baseman Has Too Many Crooked Fingers For Army.

The idea that all ball players must be physically fit for service in the army appears to be erroneous. Heinie Groh, third baseman of the Cincinnati Reds, received orders several days ago to report for examination, and Heinie reported. He got away well in the physical test until one of the examiners noted that his fingers were not as straight as they should be.

At various times during his baseball career Groh had smashed his fingers in fielding batted or thrown balls, and they did not "come back." As a result Groh was rejected by the examining board. If the same rule is to be followed it means that several ball players who are otherwise physically fit will be rejected by the examining boards.

TO STOP GAMBLERS.

Betting on Games in Boston Will Be Stamp Out by A. L. Head.

Ban Johnson, president of the American League, said that gambling would be stamped out in Boston; that if the club owners there were unable to handle the situation the league as a whole would take it up.

Johnson admitted that the riot during the Red Sox-White Sox game recently probably was started by gamblers who have been losing heavily since the champions' slump began.

"Gambling never has been tolerated by our league," Johnson said. "There was an attempt to introduce it on a large scale in New York early this year, but we nixed the effort before it was well started. We will stop gambling at Boston, too, regardless of what resources are necessary."

Matty Couldn't See Cruise.

"One player who handles all my figuring," frankly says Mattie, all Washington Cruise of the Cardinals. When he came into the big league he played poor ball and did not look like even the markings of a big league athlete. Now he is there in every way, and I'll say that he is a grand ball player.

A ROAD TO HEALTH

Eat Less and Walk More if You Are Losing All Your Vim.

JUST GIVE NATURE A CHANCE.

That Wonderful Old Doctor Is Always Ready and Willing to Be Your Friend and Will Produce Magical Results if His Laws Are Obeyed.

A man on the shady side of forty thought he was going into a decline. He went to his physician, submitted to a thorough examination and waited the word which was to consign him to the scrap heap.

This is what the doctor, who happened to be a modern physician, told him two or three days later:

"You eat too much, drink too much, sit around too much and walk too little. I am going to put you on a rigid diet, and I want you to walk—walk—walk."

The man who thought he was going into a decline demurred at the doctor's suggestion of a rigid diet. The diet prescribed consisted of only milk—and the man who saw visions of the scrap heap loved his "vitamins," but he decided to follow the doctor's orders. He stuck to the rigid diet.

And he made it a practice to walk two miles to the office every morning, rain or shine. The ease with which he acquired a scorn for the street car after a week or two astonished him.

At the end of a week of dieting and walking, this man began to look like life with different eyes. His work, which had been a burden, began to assume an attractive glow. At the end of two weeks, with a modified but still skinny diet, and more walking, he began to catch himself in the act of running up the stairs instead of dragging himself up by main force. At the end of four weeks of this treatment, without taking a drop of medicine or a single pill, he felt as if ten years had rolled off his shoulders.

The average New York man who works at desk eats too much if he does not drink too much. He sits around too much and walks altogether too little. And what is true of the average New Yorker is true of the average American. Too much food, too much drink and too much sitting around are the unholy trinity of our national debilitation. We are becoming physically flabby and mentally drowsy. We are beginning to nod in the armchairs.

Overindulgence has done it—that system of self pampering which Dr. John H. Quale of Cleveland calls "twentieth century laziness."

Most of these "twentieth century habits" have to do with the stomach. In some languages a piece of basic philosophy has been crystallized, like a fly in amber, in the homely phrase, "I have the heartache" when stomach ache is meant. That phrase is an unconscious recognition of the fact that the stomach is the center of the human system.

The importance of the stomach has been recognized by the earliest lawgivers and thinkers of the human race.

The dietary regulations of the law of Moses were a enlightened attempt to make the food of a historic nation conform to the laws of nature. Legislation similar to those under which the Jews lived, Mohammed, another of the world's great lawyers, embodied in the Koran a good deal that he found in the Talmud on the subjects of eating and drinking.

Moses put the children of Israel on a diet. Mohammed put the Arabs on a diet.

Businesses and professional Americans ought to go on a diet and stay there for awhile.

Nature is the greatest of all physicians. Give nature a chance. Don't overload your stomach with too much food. Don't overwork your liver and your kidneys by too much drink, and sometimes very little drink is too much.

Nature is the watchman sitting at the gate. Nature is ready to be up and at the enemy of your life at the first sign of danger! Don't bind and gag the watchman. Give him a chance for his life and yours.

Eat less. Walk more. The results will astonish you.—New York Mail.

WHAT THE SECRETARY OF WAR SAYS:

"The War Department approves of their enterprise (that of boys who take in money to help boys in France Fund) and thanks them in behalf of many a homesick soldier and sailor who will be cheered not merely by the kindly gifts themselves, but still more by the spirit of cordial and honest sympathy which inspires them."

Newton D. Baker,
Secretary of War.



"EMPTY!"

Gun Smoke Everywhere--

But not a whiff of TOBACCO SMOKE to cheer a fellow up!"

THE English "Tommies" have their pipes kept filled by the folks at home. The French "Poilus" never want for a smoke—their friends are "on the job." The "Anzacs" have all the tobacco they can use sent them by their loved ones.

And now the time has come for Americans to send little packages of happiness to our "Sammies" in the trenches and our "Jackies" with the fleet. These lads are defending our lives and fortunes. We must show them our appreciation.

Besides facing the foe, our boys must experience homesickness, loneliness, dreary hours in the trenches, uncomfortable days in torpedo-boat destroyers. Tobacco cheers them; home and friends loom up in the fragrant puffs. Help us to give the boys at the front the "smokes" they crave and need. Even if you object to tobacco personally, think of those whom it comforts and let your contribution come without delay!

25c Keeps a Fighting Man Happy For a Week—\$1 Sends a Month's Supply of Tobacco—ACT!

Each quarter buys a package of tobacco and cigarettes worth 46 cents, enough to make one of your defenders happy for a week. One dollar makes him and his trench mates glad for a month. Those who can afford it should adopt a soldier and keep him supplied with tobacco for the duration of the war. One dollar a month does it. Small and large contributions solicited.

A War Souvenir For You—A feature of this fund is that in each package is enclosed a post card addressed to the donor.

If it is possible for the soldier or sailor receiving the tobacco to mail you this post card receipt, it will be a war souvenir you will treasure forever.

Hurry Up With Your "Smokes"—Dive into your purse. Out comes a quarter, half-dollar, a note. Mail it at once—currency, stamps, check or money order. The quicker it comes, the quicker our boys will have their smokes. A similar fund in England has sent over four million packages to soldiers and sailors. Here is one way to do your bit—mail the coupon!

This Is a Volunteer Movement

Iwant to do my part to cheer up the American soldiers who are fighting my battle in France. If I could do it—I'd do it for the boys.

(Check Below How You Decide To Contribute)

I send you herewith my contribution towards the purchase of tobacco for American soldiers. This does not obligate me to contribute more.

I enclose \$1.00. I will adopt a soldier and send you \$1.00 a month to supply him with "smokes" for the duration of the war.

Name
Address

Here is a sample of the letters of appreciation that come back to Canada and England from the lads who have been comforted. Our "Fund" will receive similar letters.

The Mud on Vimy Ridge
"Many thanks for tobacco. It arrived O. K. It made us forget the mud on Vimy Ridge." W. C. Scott, Capt. and Adj't, Canadian Cyclist's Batt., A. E. F.

"OUR BOYS IN FRANCE TOBACCO FUND"
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Depository—Irving National Bank, N. Y.

WEST KNOCKS AT THE DOOR.

For First Time In Years the Teams Show Real Pep.

Since the best days of the Chicago Cubs, the famous old Pinstripes and the Tigers, who won an American League championship the west hasn't held such a prominent place in baseball as it now is.

Drop the meat line and season it well. Mix in enough butter or other fat to make it "shape" well. Form into rolls about the size of a finger and wrap around each a thin piece of short dough made from a pint of flour, two tablespoonsfuls of baking powder, salt and milk enough to mix. Bake the rolls in a hot oven until they are a delicate brown. Serve hot.—New York World.

Depends on Circumstances.

"Do you believe in circumlocution?"

"That depends on whether you own a dog or a badger."

"Baltimore American."

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A Romance of the North Atlantic

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"...some must be free to act and plan. I cannot, nor any of those men confined shipwrecks. By winning McCann's confidence; by seeming to yield to his demands, you will be allowed freedom on board. You can demand it as the price of your surrender. All else must depend on your woman's wit."

"But—but could I convince the man of my sincerity? I—I detest him so." "He will want to be convinced; your mere consent will satisfy him. You must not look at this from your stand-point. He is concealed and cowardly. To save his own life he would be guilty of any treacherous act. He will judge you by his standards. There will be no necessity for any pretense at love; you need not even permit him to touch you. Merely allow him to believe that fear makes you an unwilling victim."

"You—actually wish me to do this—play this hideous part?"

"Only because of our desperate situation; we must fight with the only weapon at hand. There is no other course open. The one thing I have in mind is—someone on board free to release the prisoners immediately after the boats leave, in time to enable us to prevent the ship's going down."

"But—but, Mr. Hollis would—would he not insist upon my going with him in the boat?"

I walked twice across the narrow space of the deck, conscious that her questioning eyes followed me.

"Yes," I admitted, pausing to study her face. "You might even be obliged to do that. You must front this possibility, although the necessity may be avoided. But McCann's boat will make St. John's. He dare not resort to force once you are ashore. I do not count that a serious danger—only he must not suspect your purpose until too late to prevent his interfering with your action. Nor will you be unsafe with him in the open boat, for the two of you will not be alone. Your greatest peril will be while aboard this ship, and completely in McCann's power."

"The open boat will not be long at sea!"

"Not to exceed a few hours probably. Liverpool and White are seamen enough to see that it is equipped with a sail, and if the wind be favorable, they will make land quickly. But there is even a chance that you need not take this risk."

"What chance? the full measure of her emotions finding evidence in her voice."

"If Leary or Olson could be secretly released, or even if you could be assured that I was free to attain the deck at the proper moment, and thus able to release these others, we might best play a bold game. By urging some excuse you could delay leaving the ship until after all the mutineers were over the side, and in the boats. McCann might remain on board with you, but he would be only one man to handle. Once we had control of the ship, we could defend the decks, and prevent those rustians from returning on board, at least until they surrendered all arms, and agreed to such terms as we offered."

"That—that would be a most desperate expedient," she said dejectedly. "Its success doubtful. You would be terribly outnumbered, and without weapons."

"I do not see it so. Outnumbered, yes; but with every advantage of position. These fellows could not clamber up the side, unless it be one at a time. Besides, the major part of the crew are doubtless mutineers against their will, and would be glad enough to return to duty if promised protection. I doubt if there be three revolutionaries on board. I have one of these, and McCann carries another. Really the plan looks feasible to me."

She arose and crossed over to the open port, gazing out in silence across the waste of waters, the wind lifting strands of her ruffled hair. She remained there motionless so long I became impatient.

"Have you no answer to make?" I questioned at last. "You think the scheme impracticable?"

"No; it is not that," but without changing posture or glancing about, and I felt there was a deadness in her voice, far from encouraging. "But—but I do not like the part assigned to me."

"You fear you might find it difficult to carry out the deceit?"

She turned and faced me, and there were tears in her eyes, which she swept indignantly away with a swift gesture.

"You have used the right word," she exclaimed, no longer hesitating in speech. "I am not accustomed to deceit, Mr. Hollis; I have never learned how to lie, or conceal my true feelings. I am not afraid physically; it is not that; but you ask me to permit this fellow to make love to me, and I am to encourage his hopes, and pretend to yield to his advancements. You ask me to lower my womanhood, to take my place on a level with a girl of the streets, and pretend to sell myself for a price. In this your conception of my character?"

It was as though she had slapped me in the face, yet I was ready, half anticipating she might assume this position.

"No; but I believe you willing to sacrifice your conception of what ordinarily seems right to save this ship, and the lives of those aboard; to preserve Philip Bascom's fortune. There need be no love making, no pretense at love. You seemingly yield to force, surrender to fear; that would be, the only way in which McCann would expect to gain your consent."

"You—you wish me to do this?"

"It appears to me as our only hope."

"And if I do, you will not despise me? You will not feel my action unmanly?"

being alone together, with every barrier between us swept away forever. The sunshine poured in through the open port, touching her hair with threads of golden light, and leaving a bar of brilliance across the state-room deck.

"I let imagine the respite was not long. There came a sharp rap upon the wood of the door, bringing me instantly back to a realization of our position. Her arms released me, and I arose to my feet.

"What is wanted?" "A few minutes till noon, sir," said a voice I failed to recognize. "And I'm to tell you to come on deck."

"Quite right, my man. I'll be there at once. Stand by to carry the instruments."

"Aye, aye, sir."

There was a certain cheerfulness and respect in the voice, which convinced me that the fellow was not among the ringleaders, but the hope of making him an adherent to our cause vanished when I opened the door, and recognized Dade. The man was too weak, too much of a jellyfish, to render his friendship of any particular value. Besides Bascom was also in the cabin, leaning idly against the stair-rail, but quite as evidently on guard. I nodded to him, but he only condescended to stare in return, and the look in his eyes convinced me that he had not yet forgone the rough treatment accorded him a few hours before. The memory made me smile.

"I've seen you when you looked lamer, Dade," I said carelessly, "but I imagine you have nothing on Jim White."

"To h— with yer," he growled savagely. "If I had my way ye'd have no tongue left to get smart with. Get along now after yer things."

Dade followed me into the captain's stateroom. He was obedient enough, but reluctant to talk, no doubt afraid of being overheard by Bascom.

The conspirators were grouped on the after deck waiting my arrival, and I followed Dade up the ladder, determined they should perceive no change in my demeanor, which might awaken suspicion. McCann's manner was far from cordial as I approached, but I urged it upon you, and had failed to assure you that doing so would in no way lower my respect for you?"

Her eyes flashed up questioningly into my face, only to be instantly lowered again.

"Yes."

"Not even to save your own life?"

"I have always felt there were conditions more to be dreaded than death," she answered slowly. "More circumstances, such as you describe this adventure to be, with Fergus McCann, may not be such a condition—yet I shrink from it. I have chosen my course, not because it may preserve my life, but for the sake of the others helpless on board this miserable vessel; because of the crippled man locked in his own cabin; because of the mother praying for him in Philadelphia. Oh! Mr. Hollis, can you not understand?"

"Vera, why do you question me like this? Why should you hesitate, doubt, when you realize as you must, that only through you, and your power over McCann, Philip Bascom's life and fortune can be saved?"

"Because I would not save them at the cost of your respect."

"Mine! You think that of me?"

"Yes," she said, and now her eyes met mine frankly. "I think that of you, Robert Hollis."

This avowal, quietly, honestly spoken, sent the hot blood tingling through my veins, yet left me for the moment speechless. I could not dare not hope that her words meant all they seemed to mean. She must have read the bewilderment in my face, for she did not hesitate.

"I realize how you have looked upon me from the time of our first meeting on the dark deck of the *Emerald*," she said, her emotion evidenced only by a tremor in the soft voice. "I have been to you a mere girl. No; do not interrupt with denials, for it is better I should go on. But I am not a child; I think and feel as a woman; indeed, I have cause to believe that my life—lonely and without companion of my own age—has made me older in experience than my years. Why do I confess this? Because I believe the time has come when you should know, I am going to carry out your desire; I am going to outwit Fergus McCann, and overcome his villainy. I am going to lower myself; renounce my ideals, for your sake."

"Mine! oh no; you cannot mean that—there are others."

"Yes, there are others. I sympathize with, and am glad to serve them. Yet their fate alone—even my own peril—would never have led me to make this decision. I trust you, and am willing."

"You care, actually care that much for me?"

"In there any disgrace, any unwomanliness in saying so? We are in desperate stress, all of us. Even death may be but a few hours away. This is no situation to be ruled by social conventions, or lack of frankness in speech. I do care for you, Robert Hollis; you would have known it long ago if you were not blind in such things. You have cared for me since we were in the boat together. It is not so?"

"Yes, but I never thought—"

"Of course not; you are not the sort of man who would. You have not made a life study of women; perhaps that is why I trust you so thoroughly. If—if you had made love to me, Robert Hollis, I would have laughed at you; but—but now I do not feel like laughing at all."

"You do love me! You—you love me?"

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"You love me? You really love me?"

"As woman never loved before, I believe," she answered gravely. "I love you."

I know not what time passed as I held her in my arms, and whispered those words repressed so long. Almost had I forgotten where we were, the nature of our surroundings, the fate which threatened us. I could remember only her, the velvety touch of her flesh, the welcoming light of love in her eyes. I know not what we talked about, conscious only of the joy of

being alone together, with every barrier between us swept away forever.

The sunshine poured in through the open port, touching her hair with threads of golden light, and leaving a bar of brilliance across the state-room deck.

"How far are we to the north of St. Johns?"

"Two hundred and fifty miles, approximately."

"Which makes us about due east of this White bay indicated here?"

"Yes; but there is not even the name of a town given; what that country is wilderness, I take it. Why do you ask? I thought you had decided on St. Johns?"

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"Where's White?"

"Forward somewhere."

"Have him come aft, and take the deck; it's time for dinner."

I shall never forget that meal—not the first, but the last time we were all together about the table in the after cabin. Not that anything occurred of special interest to this story, but I doubt if ever a stranger company, under stranger circumstances, was ever gathered together, even at sea. McCann rapped at Miss Carrington's door, and she received his invitation to join us with a graciousness of manner which must have surprised the man.

Liverpool, who sat at the lower end of his uncombed red thatch more conspicuous than ever, appeared suddenly ill at ease, but his presence failed to embarrass the rest of us or interfere with the game. Dade, at McCann's orders, helped Philip Bascom from his cabin, leading him a place at Miss Carrington's left, directly opposite the New Yorker, the two men greeting each other with a stiff bow. I had not seen Bascom for some days, and could not help being impressed with his appearance of illness, his face having a positively ghastly look. Yet he seemed equal to the occasion, entering into conversation with the lady, and even occasionally addressing a remark to McCann, who replied in assumed good humor. Wine was served, although previously I had no knowledge of any being on board, and the party developed into a rather pleasant occasion.

The girl played her part well, and I could read Bascom's bewilderment as he endeavored to join with them in the same spirit. To relieve his embarrassment, I managed to keep up a desultory conversation with him, although my thoughts were busy enough elsewhere, endeavoring to figure out the meaning of all this display. It was that world indeed was a stretch of the imagination," I replied, holding my temper, and motioning Dade where to place the servant. "However, I do not think I have wasted my time—it is still two minutes of twelve."

He growled something, but I busied myself with the observation, only anxious to make it accurate enough for my own use. Whatever figures I reported, it was absolutely necessary that I know myself the exact position on the ship. Nor did I dare to juggle with the numbers, for while McCann was far from being an expert navigator, he yet possessed a smattering of knowledge, which rendered him dangerous, and he was very sure to check up my figures with every care possible. However, I foisted him by a point or two, sufficient for my purpose, and wrote down the result on the back of an old envelope, while stowing away the correct figures in my own brain.

Although the air was balmy enough, the wind from the southwest almost;

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"What do you think of that sort out-yonder?" he asked, indicating the distance by a sweep of the hands, and striving to make his gruff voice sound friendly.

"It may mean nothing," I answered civilly enough. "I have never sailed these waters, but my guess would be that there is a storm brewing to the north of us. What does the barometer say?"

"Oh, he was, hey! Well, now see here, Hollis, you understand that you were to have no communication with any prisoners aboard, didn't you?"

"I was not aware that Miss Carrington was considered a prisoner."

"Well, whether she is or not she is; no longer to be bothered

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LESSON NO. 15.

ARMY SUPPLY MOVEMENTS AND TRANSPORTS DIRECTED BY GENERAL F. J. KERAN



GEN. FRANCIS J. KERAN

Fighting Arms of the Service. We have spoken so far as if all soldiers were infantrymen, that is, as if all fought on foot armed with rifle and bayonet. As we all know, an army is much more complex. There are two other "fighting arms" of the service, the Cavalry and the Artillery. These three branches of the Army are sometimes called the "line"—a term which comes down to us from the day when soldiers in battle were always drawn up in line. The other branches to be described later are included under the general term "staff." However the Engineer Corps and the Signal Corps are in part troops of the line, though they are herein separated for convenience under the heading of "Staff branches of the service."

The Infantry is the backbone of the Army. It is the Infantry soldier who must bear the greatest stress of battle, and war is more dependent for success upon his individual action than upon any other factor. By far the largest number of men in the National Army will go into the Infantry branch of the service. In the present war the importance of Infantry is even greater than in previous wars.

The Value of Infantry.

It is not enough for Infantry to know how to defend itself. It must know also how to attack. It is not enough that it should be able to move forward in masses. The Infantry soldier must also have the instinct of self-reliance that will enable him to act as an individual, always of course, within the limits of military discipline.

The chances for initiative in present day warfare can best be illustrated by recounting the story of Michael O'Leary, a lance corporal of the Irish Guards in the British Army. On February 1, 1915, the Guards were ordered to retake a trench which had been temporarily lost to the Germans. O'Leary was off duty and need not have joined in the attack at all. But he did not stop him for a moment from using his courage and his brains to help his regiment win.

Emerging out of the trench he ran at full speed to a railroad cut on the right of the first German line where he was partly under cover from the enemy's fire. With five shots in succession he killed or disabled five men before his comrades reached the trench. Not satisfied with this achievement he ran ahead until he came up to the railroad cut beside the second German line. Here was a machine gun. The officer in command had just pointed the gun at the 1st Guards in the first trench and had his finger on the firing button when he was dropped by a well-aimed bullet from O'Leary's rifle. He shot two other Germans who were attempting to fire the machine gun, whereupon the remainder of the squad threw up their hands and surrendered.

Thus it happened that when his company of the Irish Guards reached the second line without the loss of a single man they were amazed to find O'Leary ahead of them in complete possession. He was made a sergeant on the field, and later given a Victoria Cross. After other exhibitions of bravery and initiative, the 25-year-old soldier became Lieutenant O'Leary.

There is always an element of luck in such unusual achievements, but all the luck in the world is useless unless the soldier has developed his intelligence, spirit and self-reliance during his months of training.

The Cavalry.

The Cavalry is armed with saber and pistol, as well as rifle. Since the early part of the present war there has been little opportunity to use Cavalry on the western front. For the most part the Cavalry forces of European armies have been fighting in the trenches as Infantry.

Under these conditions it has been determined to reorganize several of the Cavalry regiments of our Regular Army as Field Artillery. United States Cavalry as such is not to be used in Europe at present. Some good judges believe that the Cavalry will again come into its own before the war is ended, but on this question no final opinion can now be given.

The Coast Artillery which handles the big-caliber guns guarding our coast harbors against naval attacks is a branch distinct from the Field Artillery which handles the smaller guns drawn by horses or mules and moved about with the rest of the Army. The present field guns range in size from 3-inch caliber to 17-inch. The Field Artillery also handles howitzers which throw heavy shells high into the air so that they will fall upon the target at a very steep angle.

The chief kinds of artillery ammunition are shrapnel and high explosives. The shrapnel is intended to burst in the face of the enemy and scatter a large number of bullets. The high explosives are used chiefly to blow up enemy trenches.

Increasing Importance of Artillery. The importance of artillery has been very much increased during the present war. It is the most effective of all weapons in preparing the way for attack. In advance of an attack on a large scale there are often several days of continuous artillery duel during which the big guns of both sides try to locate and put out of action the opposing guns. In fact on the western front the artillery duel never entirely ceases.

The chief qualities of a good artilleryman are intelligence and tenacity. He must know his own gun so well

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Vanderbilt.

VANDERBILT, PA. Aug. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mulac and son Carl, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mulac of this place and Mrs. Josephine Mulac of Connellsville motored to Cleveland Tuesday to spend a few days with relatives.

Archie Householder has returned to his home in Glassport after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reed at East Robins. He visited friends in Morgantown, W. Va., over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. K. Leeser and S. J. Leeser motored to Pittsburgh yesterday.

Mrs. Jennie Addis, Mrs. C. B. Harmer, J. B. Henderson and family, Joseph Schallenger R. M. Schallenger and W. A. Cosgrave were Connellsville callers yesterday.

that he can not only play his own part, but if necessary can take the place of any of his comrades. He must have the courage that enables him to hold any position assigned to him until the order is given to move.

Similar to the artillery in many respects are the machine-guns. Troops machine guns shoot out a steady stream of bullets and have great value against an attack from the front. They may also be readily carried forward by attacking troops and used with great effect against the defenders of a position.

"A skirmish, Mr. cannot advance by walking or running when hostile machine guns have the correct range and are ready to fire. Machine-gun fire is not especially effective against troops lying on the ground or crawling. When opposed by machine gun without artillery to destroy them, Infantry itself must silence them before it can advance. Concealment and patient waiting for critical moments and exceptional opportunities are the special characteristics of the machine gun service in decisive actions" (Infantry Drill Regulations, pars 542-546).

In handling machine guns, just as in handling artillery, intelligence and tenacity are the qualities most needed. There are numberless examples in the present war of courageous self-reliance on the part of individual soldiers in repairing or serving machine guns while under fire and thus playing a big part in helping to win victories.

Indian Creek.

INDIAN CREEK, Aug. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Grover Biggs spent Saturday night among Connellsville friends.

Misses Julia and Jean Higley spent over Sunday among Ohio friends. Rodney Woodinney was a busness visitor at Connellsville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nobus of Mount Braddock spent over Sunday with relatives here.

A. W. Nicholson of Mill Run spent a few days with relatives at Mill Run.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Greene of Roaring Run spent a few days among Connellsville friends.

Benjamin Olier of Mill Run spent yesterday here with relatives.

J. H. Prinker of Mill Run was a business caller in Connellsville and Uniontown yesterday.

Joe Ridener of Rogers Hill was a business caller in Connellsville yesterday.

Walter Nichoison of Mill Run was a business caller in Connellsville yesterday.

W. P. Miller George Dull and Dr. J. Moore left for Confluence yesterday and will angle for bass in the Young river near Friendsville.

Mrs. J. E. Fought and daughter of near Kellerville Park spent yesterday among Connellsville friends and shop ping.

Mrs. George Craig of Charleroi spent a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jake Barkley at Roaring Run.

Mr. and Mrs. John Koontz of Connellsville spent a few days with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Koontz.

Arthur Upperman of Mill Run was a business caller here yesterday.

Luk Davis was a business caller in Connellsville yesterday.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.
New York 7 Pittsburgh 3
Chicago 2 Brooklyn 0
St. Louis 6 Philadelphia 5
Cincinnati 9, Boston 1

Standing of the Clubs.

	W	L	Pct.
New York	75	41	.647
Philadelphia	65	49	.570
St. Louis	63	58	.521
Cincinnati	65	62	.512
Chicago	62	61	.504
Brooklyn	57	60	.481
Boston	49	62	.377
Pittsburgh	38	50	.322

Today's Schedule.
Pittsburgh at New York
Cincinnati at Boston
St. Louis at Philadelphia
Chicago at Brooklyn

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.
Chicago 4, New York 3
St. Louis 2 Philadelphia 1
Washington-Cleveland-Rain
Boston-Detroit—Rain

Standing of the Clubs.

	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	79	46	.622
Boston	73	47	.568
Cleveland	68	53	.540
Detroit	64	51	.520
New York	56	63	.471
Washington	55	61	.452
St. Louis	49	70	.392
Philadelphia	44	75	.370

Today's Schedule.
Detroit at Cleveland

Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE Aug. 29—Thursday August 30 the annual reunion of the Reformed People of Somerset county will be held at Riverside park near Meyersdale. The orator for the day will be Rev. Lewis Robb of Wilkensburg. Informal addresses will be made by others. One of the interesting features of the day will be the college hour in which alumni and alumnines of different institutions of the church will take part. Franklin and Marshall of Lancaster, Heidelberg College of Tiffin, O. Hood Woman College of Frederick and Allentown Female college will be represented. The Young People's Guild of Amity Reformed church of Meyersdale will furnish lunches and other refreshments. Everybody will be welcome.

B. J. Lynch is on a business trip to Morgantown, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Blair Dill and two children of Philadelphia arrived here yesterday by automobile and are guests of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Penn of Wilkinsburg are visiting their mother, Mrs. Walter Knott at Gary Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fischer are spending two weeks visiting in Indiana and Ohio.

Mrs. Anna Mae Lewis is visiting relatives and friends in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Freda Wright, clerk at the Wright-Metzler store in Connellsville is off on a two weeks vacation.

K. H. Collins of the Auto Sales and Repair company is moving his family from Uniontown to the flats opposite the B & O Station in Dawson.

J. Earle Roberts spent Sunday with friends in Morgantown, W. Va.

Mrs. Laura Taylor, Clifford Taylor and friend of Greensboro are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Galley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Madigan and son Eugene were Connellsville callers yesterday.

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